

IT'S A DARK DAY IN AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA TODAY; ECLIPSE OF SUN TO TOUCH U. S. IN 1923

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 21.—(A. P.)—The fact that you do not live on the east coast of Africa, Australia or on islands in the Southern Pacific ocean relieves you of the unpleasantness of a dark day today.

Friday, according to Prof. Edwin B. Frost of the University of Chicago and director of the Yerkes Observatory, a total solar eclipse will occur over that region.

The moon, coming between the earth and the sun, will cast a shadow which will sweep over the southern sea from a point off the eastern coast of Africa near the Equator, cross a few scattered islands and the continent of Australia and then out to the Southern Pacific ocean, he said.

This trail of the shadow will be about 115 miles wide. The duration of totality at different points will vary from three to six minutes and Professor Frost declared this to be an unusually large eclipse.

Expeditions from various astronomical institutions will be established at favorable points to study the eclipse. John Evershed, director of the observations from the Maldives Islands. Astronomers from the Royal Observatory at Greenwich, England, have established a station on Christmas Island. A party from Batavia, Dutch

India, also will be located at Christmas Island and will be joined by Dr. Freundlich from the Einstein laboratory at the Potsdam Observatory. Prof. W. W. Campbell with a party from the Lick Observatory will be stationed at Wallal, Australia. Professor Chant of the University Observatory at Toronto will be with this group.

"The total eclipse of the sun always has been one of nature's most thrilling spectacles," said Professor Frost. "It gives a momentary glimpse of the mysterious veil surrounding the sun, called the corona, which is never visible at any other time. Giantlike rays of flowing gas also may be seen along the rim of the eclipse sun."

On September 19, 1923, he said, a total solar eclipse will touch the coast of the United States at Santa Barbara and near San Diego, Calif. The islands off the Pacific coast, notably Santa Catalina, will be well situated for stations. The track of the shadow will sweep southeast across Mexico. Preparations for observing this eclipse already have been started by several American observatories.

After the one of 1923, the next total solar eclipse that can be observed under favorable conditions in United States will be on August 21, 1947.

AMERICAN VAGRANT WITH BEARD THAT WAS UNCUT FOR TWO YEARS TALKS TO CALIF. OF BAGDAD

BAGDAD, Mesopotamia, Sept. 21.—(A. P.)—Hippolyte Martinet, an American, who hails from Seattle, Wash., and who claims to have tramped barefooted over half the globe, arrived in Baghdad today, shoeless as well as penniless.

With long hair hanging over his neck to protect it from heat and cold, a beard that had not seen the shears for two long years, a kit weighing about 20 pounds slung across his back, and a sign pinned across his breast to proclaim to the world that he is a globe trotter, Mr. Martinet presented himself to King Faisal and told the following story:

"Tired of my profession as a cabinet maker and feeling that a tramp around the world would benefit my health, I set out from my home on April 13, 1920, encumbered by very little of things material.

"Walking on an average of 21 miles a day and resting at several places, I reached New York four months later and managed to get a passage across the Atlantic, reaching Southampton in the middle of September. After a tramp to London I embarked for Antwerp.

"From Antwerp I worked my way through the devastated regions to Paris. In Paris I tried to sell picture postcards representing myself in the garb of a globe trotter, but the French police mistook me for a beggar and drove me away.

"Quitting Paris I tramped to Havre, and thence to Nice. From Nice I crossed to Switzerland and gradually

worked my way down to Brindisi. Leaving the Italian port I crossed to Albania and thence to Greece. Taking a boat I crossed to Egypt, reaching Cairo in December last year.

"After roaming about Egypt I struck towards Palestine and then to Samarcand, where I joined a caravan crossing the desert to Baghdad in 21 days."

Mr. Martinet is about 45 years of age. He plans to go next to Basra, then to Bombay, to Japan, China and San Francisco.

Emir Faisal, who displayed great interest in Mr. Martinet, presented him with a check for \$200.

E. P. MARSHALL OLDEST JUDGE FOR CONTINUOUS SERVICE FOR ROUND-UP

A veteran judge of the Round-Up is E. P. Marshall, who is in the saddle again this year as judge of the events of track and arena.

Mr. Marshall has served in this role for the past five years, a longer period than that of any other judge. He is an expert horseman.

In the old days when Pendleton was smaller than now, Mr. Marshall owned the principal blacksmith shop in the town. He is engaged in farming and owns a wheat ranch in the Holdman district.



Scenes During the "Epic Drama"

'WORKING GIRL' ASKS \$50,000 HEART BALM OF MILLIONAIRE TO PROVE CASTE

By JACK CARBERRY, International News Service Special Correspondent.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 21.—"Can the girl who works for a living ever reach the heights of social leadership as a rich man's wife?"

"We don't have association with the hard, practical world of business until her for the softness of the country club veranda, the bridge tea of the exclusive set and as hostess to the 'four hundred'?"

Sues Millionaire's Suitor Miss Lillian Groat, twenty-five-year-old stenographer, pretty, vivacious, diminutive, brunette—the "An-



gel Eyes" of Jonathan A. Brubaker, sixty-three-year-old millionaire grain man, church director and clubman—asks the question.

It is in the form of a heart-balm suit filed by Miss Groat, in which she demands \$50,000 to soothe the aches of blighted romance.

Miss Groat's suit has become the one topic of the country club, the afternoon bridge and is brought up at every social function for discussion, not alone by feminine society, but by the social set's male contingent as well.

In her petition Miss Groat says: "I was a working girl—a stenographer."

In a fellow business man's office the millionaire grain man chanced to see her one day.

"He told me it was my eyes which attracted him—that is why he always called me his 'Angel Eyes,'" Miss Groat says.

That the millionaire pursued her every step from the moment of their meeting until a few hours before the time set for their wedding on May 21, is another allegation of the suit.

"Miss Groat listened to his plan to resign her position," her suit con-

cludes. She further says:

Gave Her \$4,000 Ring "The millionaire purchased a \$4,000 engagement ring."

"Bought her a \$4,000 coupe."

"Purchased the wedding ring, inscribing it: 'To my Angel Eyes—Always.'"

"That he purchased her wedding gown."

"Employed the minister—arranged for the service in the exclusive Grand Avenue Temple Church, of which the millionaire is a member of the board of trustees."

"And that he left her waiting at the church."

In her suit Miss Groat says: "I was all prepared for my wedding—dressed in the things so dear to a girl's heart. But my groom-to-be did not call for me. I telephoned him. I was frantic. He told me I would have to postpone the wedding. I asked why."

Says He Rejected Her "He said that I was just a working girl—that his set could not accept in union a girl elevated my caste."

"It is not that the \$50,000 I ask will mend my broken heart," Miss Groat said after filing her suit. "My real reason is to avenge the slur of social society against the girl who works."

"I am proud of the bit I contributed to the work-a-day world. I glory in the girl who works—and matter when her position in life. I believe her name fitted to be a wife than the social drone of the polite tons, whose only labor is the hours she spends under the hand of the beauty specialist."

Claimed She Was Beautiful "If I have beauty, which Mr. Brubaker claimed, it is not the beauty of the girl who has lived a life of happiness—a girl who in the knowledge that she is contributing something to the



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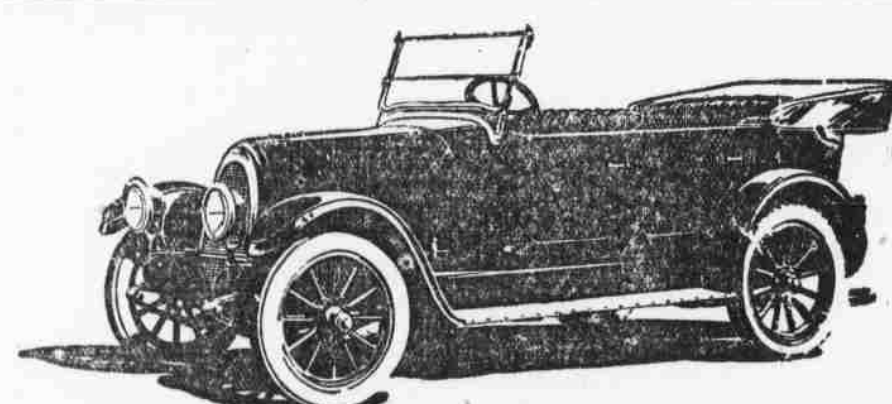
Brubaker has promised to file answer to Miss Groat's suit.

He will prove, he claims, "that the world."

Miss Groat claims it will be blam-

"working girl" vamped him" into his proposal of marriage—that she aspired to be an "old man's darling" and in reality "loved a handsomer and younger man."

Brubaker, despite Miss Groat's denial, says he will name the man.



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